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The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17, 1864.

CANADIAN POLITICS.

Those who have watched the course of Canadian politics must have been struck with the effervescent character they have recently assumed, and the apparent inability of any political party to construct a strong and enduring administration. Nor can the cause of all this unrest and change be a secret to any one who has been even a superficial observer of the history of that Province. The simple fact that an imaginary line divides Upper and Lower Canada, that the Protestant religion largely predominates in the former and Catholicism as largely in the latter, that, in fact, these two sections are inhabited by dissimilar races, speaking different languages, and that although that section designated Upper Canada possesses a population of 400,000 souls in excess of Lower Canada, yet it is allowed only an equal representation in the two Houses of Parliament, these circumstances, we say, afford ample explanation of the unsatisfactory political condition of the Province. For years the strongest party in the upper or western section has sought to bring about a constitutional change by which population might be made the basis of representation, without regard to a separating line between the two sections. Of this party the Hon. George Brown has long been the recognized leader. To any such change Lower Canada was of course bitterly opposed, and with the help of a few recreant Upper Canada members they have been enabled effectually to withstand any attempt to alter the basis of representation. But although almost a unit on this point Lower Canada was more or less divided on other matters, hence the reform party with Mr. Dorion, a liberal French Canadian, as their leader. In Upper Canada the conviction has been rapidly gaining ground that longer submission to Lower Canada domination was intolerable. Thus it has come about that, upon the present unsatisfactory and unjust basis, no party was able to construct a Government which would command sufficient support to justify it in continuing to administer the affairs of the country. When in two months as many administrations had come in and gone out; when several abortive attempts to construct a Government had been made; it was plain enough that matters had culminated in a serious crisis; and it was at this critical juncture that Mr. Brown stepped forward and urged upon the leaders of the other party the necessity of grappling with the root of the disease. The Hon. J. A. Macdonald sought an interview with the great leader of the reform party, and invited him to consider with them what should be done to meet so pressing and serious a crisis. Mr. Brown, after much hesitancy, consented, and the result was the placing of three seats in the Cabinet at his disposal. Although long declining to enter the Government himself Mr. Brown finally consented to go in along with McDougall and Mowat, Mr. Brown being President of the Council, Mr. McDongall, Colonial Secretary, and Mr. Mowat, Postmaster-General. This Government has been formed for a specific work, viz., to bring about such organic changes as will forever free the country from the difficulty alluded to. The cure proposed to be applied is a federation of all British North America, with a general Government, a general Parliament and a general Constitution, the different sections to have their local Legislatures, and to manage, with certain restrictions, their local affairs. This is a bold undertaking, and, if successful, will be a step towards the consolidation of all the British North American Possessions into one great empire, probably with one of Victoria's sons for King! Whatever may be the final issue of the most extraordinary coalition Canada ever witnessed, it must be evident that Mr. Brown has been actuated by the highest and most patriotic of motives in consenting to be associated with his most bitter political opponents, of a life-time, and has, by this act, raised himself immensely in the estimation of the country generally. Macdonald, too, has evinced a disposition to drop mere party differences, and address himself earnestly to the great work which presses itself upon the attention of Canadian statesmen. The Parliament has been prorogued, and during the recess a deputation, in which Mr. Brown is to be included, will visit the Maritime Provinces, and proceed to England to lay the scheme before the Imperial Government.

Our interest in this movement is very obvious. Should the proposed plan be carried out British Columbia will, in due course, be called upon to show cause why she should not enter the great Confederation. This measure will render the inter-colonial railway a political as well as a commercial necessity.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE!

THREE SUBURBAN LOTS, two of which adjoin the city, and comprise the entire frontage of the north-west side of St. Patrick's Square, affording a delightful southern aspect, and charmingly situated for a residence.

ALSO—A Lot in the original survey of the city. Terms most reasonable.

Apply to WILLIAM CLARKSON,
Land & General Agent.
New Westminster, July 19, 1864. jy20tc

NOTICE.

I HEREBY WARN all persons against purchasing the Steamer "HOPE" either at Sheriff's sale or otherwise, as the ownership of the same is absolutely vested in the Mortgagees, Guy Huston, Peter McQuade & Co., and John A. Mara.

M. W. T. DRAKE,
Solicitor for Mortgagees.
New Westminster, June 1, 1864. je4

BONSON & RICHARDS,
CARPENTERS, JOINERS
—AND—
CABINET MAKERS
HAMLY STREET, NEAR THE CUSTOM HOUSE,
New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully beg to announce that they are now prepared to execute orders in any branch of the above trades, on the most reasonable terms.

ESTIMATES, PLANS & SPECIFICATIONS made for every description of buildings.

☞ Orders left at the Workshop will receive prompt attention.

de19-1m BONSON & RICHARDS.

NOTICE.

SUBSCRIBERS to the ROYAL COLUMBIAN HOSPITAL are hereby informed that the Treasurer, MR. JOHN COOPER, will call upon them during the next few days, and as the Institution is greatly in need of funds, it is earnestly requested that the Subscribers will pay the amount of their subscriptions when called upon.

Subscription Lists are to be found with each member of the Finance Committee, Messrs. Armstrong, Cormack and Cooper.

jy13 JAMES COOPER, President.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!!

JUST RECEIVED, from San Francisco direct, 500 gals. No. 1 Chicopee Coal Oil, in first rate order, which we will sell to traders at lower prices than it can be laid down here from Victoria.

PICHT & HOYT.

N. B.—We shall always have a stock of the same on hand.

New Westminster, April 1, 1864. ap2tc

PICHT & HOYT,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
Spirits, Wines, Ales and Segars,

BRANDIES—French, H. & F. Martell, Pelevoisin and American in bulk and cases;
RUM—Jamaica and other brands;
WHISKEY—Scotch, Irish, Bourbon and Monongahela in bulk and cases;
GIN—Holland in bulk and cases;
OLD TOM—Different brands;
WINES—Port, Sherry, California wines, various brands;
CHAMPAGNE, PORTER & ALES—Different brands;
SYRUPS & BITTERS—All kinds;
HAVANNA SEGARS—Different brands.

PICHT & HOYT,
New Westminster, B. C.,
BREWERS & MALTSTERS,
AND DEALERS IN
Brewer Stock;
DISTILLERS,
AND DEALERS IN
DOUBLE REFINED SPIRITS,
40° over proof, superior to any;
—ALSO,—
REFINED ALCOHOL
in Tins, 95 per cent. ap2tc

New Advertisements.

EXPRESS.

DIETZ & NELSON'S
British Columbia & Victoria Express,
CONNECTING AT VICTORIA WITH
Wells Fargo & Co.,
FOR
CALIFORNIA, OREGON, ATLANTIC STATES & EUROPE;
AND AT YALE AND LILLOOET WITH
BARNARD'S CARIBOO EXPRESS,
FOR
Cariboo and the Northern Mines,

CONVEYING Treasure, Valuables, Letters, Packages and Parcels;
PURCHASING of Drafts and Bills of Exchange from Wells Fargo & Co., and other Banking Houses;
COLLECTING Drafts, Notes of Hand, Debts, &c.
EXECUTING Commissions, Orders, Enquiries;
FORWARDING of Merchandize, Packages, Parcels, &c;
ATTENDING to the Registration of Mortgages, Deeds, and other Documents, the Assaying of Gold Dust, Silver and other Ores;
PARTICULAR attention given to the purchasing of Goods at New Westminster, B. C., and Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable terms, and shipping to destination;
LANDING WARRANTS Prepared and Goods passed through the Custom House without delay.

New Westminster, March 13th, 1863. ma14 tc

THE
LARGEST, FINEST
—AND—
CHEAPEST ASSORTMENT
—OF—
WATCHES,
JEWELRY,
—AND—
SILVER-WARE,
—AT—
JUNGERMAN'S,
mh23 YATES ST., VICTORIA, V. I. 6m

LOCHLOMOND HOUSE!
AT THE
Seventy-four-mile Post
ON THE
Lillooet-Alexander Road.

THE PROPRIETOR calls the attention of travellers to Cariboo to this House, which is just opened for the travelling public, where GOOD MEALS can be had at all hours, with all the delicacies of the season.

THE BAR
will contain CIVILITY, and the best
LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

This is the first house within 15 miles where good water can be obtained, and, being 27 miles above the Junction, affords a comfortable and convenient stopping place.

Packers, Stagers and Teamsters are informed that they will find good stabling and the best of provender, as well as an excellent run for cattle on the grounds.

The strictest attention will be paid to the comfort of those who may patronize the Lochlomond House.

JOHN McMURPHY.
Lochlomond, British Columbia, March, 1863. tc.

THE ORIGINAL
PIONEER
GOVERNMENT BAKERY
Lytton Square, New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having taken over the above business from Mr. P. Hick, hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of public patronage.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.

W. HARVEY.
New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc*

New Advertisements.

COLONIAL HOTEL,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

Messrs. Grelley Brothers
Have added to their comfortable
Hotel and Restaurant,
A SPLENDID
Billiard Saloon,
In which will always be found the best
DRINKS AND CIGARS.

In connection with the above they have opened a Store stocked with the choicest Brands of

WINES, LIQUORS,
ALES, PORTER,
BRANDIES, RUM,
CIDER, SYRUPS,
CORDIALS, BITTERS, &c.,

which they will sell by the bottle, gallon, or in case
—ALSO—
THE BEST BRANDS OF
CIGARS,
Havanna, Manilla and Cheroots.
New Westminster, July 18, 1862. jy19

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice
—OF—
BRITISH COLUMBIA.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that the Court, acting in the prosecution of a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of April, 1864, against JACOB ROSE and N. T. PETERSEN of Lillooet, in the Colony of British Columbia, Dealers and Chapmen, did, on the 9th day of July, inst., allow the said Jacob Rose a certificate of the second class, and that such certificate will be delivered to the said Bankrupt on the 1st day of September next, at Richfield, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

Richfield, 13th July, 1864. jy22w1m

CITY BAKERY
—AND—
COFFEE SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has removed to his new and commodious establishment on the

Corner of Columbia and Hall Streets,

where he hopes to receive from a generous and discriminating public an extended patronage, commensurate with his increased facilities for accommodating them.

Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Pies and Cakes,
supplied at all hours, and at reduced rates.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.

JOSEPH SOREL.
New Westminster, March 3, 1863. ma4

THE
COLONIAL HOTEL
—AND—
RESTAURANT.
FRONT STREET,
FORT YALE, B. C.

THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT, having been newly fitted up at a great expense, is ready for the reception of the public.

The BAR will contain the choicest Liquors, while the TABLE will be constantly supplied with the substantials as well as the delicacies of the season.

N. B.—Good, clean Sleeping Apartments connected with the Hotel.

L. DAVISON,
Manager.
Fort Yale, B.C., March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

JOHN MURRAY
BEGS LEAVE to call the attention of his friends and the public to the
CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK
—OF—
FAMILY GROCERIES
which he ha just opened, and which he is prepared to to sell at the
Lowest Possible Prices,
FOR CASH.
JOHN MURRAY,
oc17-tc Columbia Street, New Westminster.

Victoria Advertisements.

THE
Royal Insurance Company.
—FOR—
Fire & Life Insurance.
CAPITAL - - - - - Ten Million Dollars!

HEAD OFFICES,—Liverpool and London.

CHAIRMAN,
Charles Turner, Esq., M. P.
DEPUTY CHAIRMEN,
Ralph Brocklebank, Esq., & E. Johnston, Esq.
MANAGER AND ACTUARY,
PERCY M. DOVE, ESQ.

THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the UNDERsigned their Agents for
Vancouver Island & British Columbia,
and will now accept proposals for Insurance both in the
Fire and Life Departments.

They feel confident that the known Standing and Character of this Office, the sound principles on which it is established and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

James Dickson, Esq., M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner to the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,
Wharf Street.
Victoria, 20th January, 1863. ja24

BALMORAL SEED STORE
—AND—
Nursery Depot,
FORT STREET.

MY STOCK OF SEEDS, TREES, PLANTS, &c., being now very complete, Farmers and Merchants are invited to call and examine for themselves. Country and British Columbia Merchants supplied at the lowest wholesale rates.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed Agent for some of the Largest Importers and Best Manufacturers of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES in San Francisco, is prepared to supply all sorts of Agricultural Implements and Machines at a small advance on San Francisco prices. Parties wanting Patent Hay Presses, Mowing and Reaping Machines, Fanning Mills, Ploughs, Harrows, Scythes or any other Implement or Machine will do well to send their orders. Parties ordering will require to remit with the order about one-fifth of the value of the machine to pay Freight.

J. BEGG,
ap18 tc *Balmoral Nursery Depot, Fort St., Victoria.*

W. J. ARMSTRONG,
COLUMBIA STREET,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
IMPORTER,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, CLASSWARE, AND
Oilman's Stores,

Would call the particular attention of Up-river Merchants, Steamboat Owners and others to his Stock, and ascertain the prices before purchasing elsewhere.

N. B.—**Fresh Garden Seeds** Just received and for sale.

W. J. ARMSTRONG.
New Westminster, March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

BONDED WAREHOUSE.

HENRY HOLBROOK,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
LIVERPOOL WHARF,
NEW WESTMINSTER.

BONDED AND FREE STORAGE for 600 tons Goods Every accommodation given to Goods landed on the Liverpool Wharf, for shipment up river.

A large assortment of Goods for sale at Victoria prices, with the duty added

NOTICE.

AFTER THIS DATE, URIAH NELSON & CO. ARE not responsible for damage on Oils or Liquids shipped in Tin.

URIAH NELSON & CO.
Port Douglas, May 2, 1864. my4 tc

ANDERSON & Co.,

HAVE NOW IN STOCK and will keep continuously Bynass Porter and Ale, Martell and other Brandies, Scotch Whiskey, Rum, &c.
oc31 WHARF ST., VICTORIA.

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☞ Copies of this paper can be had at the Book Store of Messrs. Clarkson & Co., Columbia-street.

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Advertisements in order to ensure insertion, should be sent in before noon of the day before publication.

All Advertisements for insertion in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN must be paid in advance. Those for longer periods than one month are required to be paid each month in advance.

All Advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

London House—J. H. Turner & Co.
Municipal Statement—Committee.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17, 1864.

EXPLORATION.

Nothing could be more gratifying or hope-inspiring than the spirit of exploration now so generally pervading all classes of this community. In every direction the adjacent country is being penetrated where a month ago all was unknown. Rivers, lakes and fertile valleys are being daily discovered where nothing but a rugged and sterile waste was generally supposed to exist. The industrious beaver is now interrupted in the exercise of his remarkable engineering and architectural instinct; the deer is rudely startled from his lair, while old bruin, with a sullen and discontented growl, retires to his secluded den. Everywhere is to be seen the blaze upon the trees and the smoke of the camp fire, telling of the exploring party. All this is as it ought to be, and the spirit of adventure should be encouraged and sustained in every legitimate way, until every square mile of our district is known. What would be thought of a gentleman who, upon taking possession of a large and valuable estate to which he had just fallen heir, would pass the first five years in his castle and gardens, imbibing wine and enhaling the sweet fragrance of a thousand flowers, instead of riding over his vast domain, examining its extent, character and condition, and projecting schemes of improvement? We of New Westminster have been guilty of very similar imbecile folly. For five years we have been content to plod away in the circumscribed sphere and hum-drum life of a small though promising city, while all around us lies dormant untold wealth, in a variety of forms and conditions. In urging the adoption of some sort of organized action a short time ago for the purpose of promoting general exploration in this district, we expressed the conviction that if for no other purpose than the discovery of agricultural lands a movement of the kind would be amply rewarded. What is the fact? Even now, while the movement is yet in its infancy, we are told by some of our most substantial and reliable citizens of the existence of large sections of country, at once the most picturesque and fertile, within less than a day's walk of this city, where all was popularly believed to be tangled swamp and craggy hill. We are told of rivers and lakes, hitherto unknown save by the savage, upon whose banks lie fertile, open lands, and whose waters are stocked with the finest of inland fish. In short, the truth of what we have so often asserted, viz., that New Westminster is surrounded with a country well adapted to attract and sustain a large and prosperous population, is rapidly being realized. While all this is going on here we cannot forget that this is only a local, and, peradventure, merely spasmodic, effort. Private exertion and enterprise should and may do much; and the same spirit which has actuated the people of the capital may extend to other localities. But, after all, we cannot close our eyes to the fact that a great responsibility rests upon the Government, in respect to a more general and thorough exploration of the country than can reasonably be hoped to be attained by private effort. As we have repeatedly said, the most effectual way to ensure the settlement of the country is to ascertain and make known its real character and advantages. What we most want is a producing population, so that the gold may not all fall into the coffers of the foreign producer. In order to this end it behooves the Government to aid and encourage explorations, to construct roads through agricultural districts as much as possible, and, by offering a free homestead to every *bona fide* settler, endeavor to attract to our shores that class of immigrants who would come with the view of making this Colony their home. It needs no special effort to bring people to our gold mines. They are attractive enough and will take care of themselves. The great business of Government is to promote the development of our vast agricultural resources so that the country may have the means within itself of sustaining a population and thereby retain a fair proportion of the gold which is being taken from our mines.

Grouse Creek Flume Co., Limited.

NOTICE OF CALL.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors of the above Company, held this day, a third Call of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents per share was levied, payable to the Secretary on or before the 15th instant.

J. P. CRANFORD, Secretary.
Victoria, V. I., August 6th, 1864. au13 1m

New Advertisements.

Statement showing the amount of Work performed in the City of New Westminster, together with the Expenses of the Municipal Council for the year ending 5th August, 1864:—

STREET CONTRACTS.

Mary Street:—			
W. T. Shannon, Grading,	$1,475 00,		
S. W. Handy, Grading,	250 00,		
A. Hendry, Frames for Culverts,	2 00,		
			$1727 00
Ellice Street:—Hesselwood & Co., Grading			650 00
Blackwood Street:—A. Johnston, do.			650 00
Royal Avenue:—			
A. McGregor, Clearing,	$48 00,		
H. Elliot, Grading,	760 00,		
H. Welch, Repairing,	6 00,		
J. C. Hall, do	4 00,		
			818 00
Douglas Street:—			
J. Savoy, Repairing,	$25 00,		
D. McPherson, do	10 00,		
			35 00
Douglas, St. John & Mary Streets:—			
E. A. Sharp, Chopping,			119 35
St. Patrick's Square:—			
E. A. Sharp, Chopping,			126 00
Eastern Reserve:—			
W. Holmes, Chopping,			151 50
St. George's Square:—			
D. Kelso, Chopping,			149 50
Melbourne & Montreal Streets:—			
F. Walker, Chopping,			102 60
St. Patrick's Street:—			
Henry Thorne, Clearing,			30 00
Columbia Street:—			
A. White, Repairing bridge,	$2 00,		
H. Sutherland, do	50,		
D. McPherson, Repairing,	12 50,		
John Vine, Clearing drain,	7 50,		
H. Sutherland, Repairing bridge,	75,		
J. Bradley, Clearing drain,	3 00,		
D. Owney, Opening culverts,	2 00,		
H. Sutherland, Repairing bridge,	75,		
E. A. Sharp, Repairs,	18 00,		
Woodcock & Hand, Work for culv't	9 50,		
H. Elliot, Work on Col. & Mary sts.	36 25,		
			92 75
Building water Tank, E. A. Sharp,			240 00
Chopping Lot 56, Block V, R. Holland,			27 00
			$4918 70

SIDEWALKS CONSTRUCTED BY SPECIAL TAX.

Mary Street:—		
H. Sutherland,		$695 00
Columbia Street, North-East:—		
S. W. Handy,		1225 00
Columbia Street, South-East:—		
S. W. Handy,		643 50
		$7482 20

PRIVATE LOTS CHOPPED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, AND PAID FOR BY SPECIAL TAX.

Eighteen Lots,		362 58

CHOPPING & CLEARING STREETS, PAID IN SCRIP.

Clinton, Montreal & Pelham Streets:—		
4 9-10 acres at $75, W. Holmes,	$367 50,	
Hospital Lots 8, 38, 37, B. VI; 9, 35, 36, B. VI, James Emsley,	258 00,	
Montreal Street:—		
4 2-5 a. at $25, Geo. Simpson,	110 00,	
Halifax Street:—		
3 a. at $26, do	78 00,	
St. Andrews Square:—Lots 30, 31, 32, B. V; Lots 14, 29, 30, B. VI, 17¾ a. $24, Geo. Simpson,	426 00,	
St. Andrews Street:—		
3 a. at $26, S. M. Richards,	78 00,	
Fortescue St., 3 a. at $27, do	81 00,	
Edinburgh St., 3 a. at $23, do	69 00,	
London St., 4½ a. at $22, do	99 00,	
Pelham St. 4½ a. at $20, F. Walker,	90 00,	
Melbourne St., 4 2-5a. at $35, Sharp,	154 00,	
St. George & Clinton Streets:—		
6½ a. at $24, P. Jackman,	145 20,	
St. Patrick & Pelham Streets:—		
4½ a. at $95, W. Tinline,	389 50,	
Pelham & Mary Streets:—		
2 4-5 a. at $130, R. Holland,	364 00,	
Clement & Pelham Streets:—		
5 a. at $95, J. Mackie & Co.,	471 00,	
		$3180 20
Constructing plank road on Richard, and Edinburgh Streets and Queen's Avenue:		
S. P. Moody & Co.,		12901 00
Constructing plank road on Front Street:—		
J. T. Scott,		5895 00
Fire Department,		485 00
Council Expenses:—		
Rent of Hall 11 months,	$235 00,	
Printing, COLUMBIAN, *Colonist* & *Chronicle* offices,	245 79,	
Salary, V. Hall, 8 months,	646 66,	
do J. Maclure, 6 do	177 51,	
SUNDRY EXPENSES.		
H. D. Conn, Ringing bell,	7 50,	
W. J. Armstrong, Candles,	10 50,	
J. C. White, Plan for bridge,	25 00,	
Clarkson & Co., Stationery,	30 50,	
G. R. Ashwell, Chairs,	16 00,	
Cunningham Bros., Stove pipes,	23 14,	
H. D. Conn, Firewood,	12 25,	
J. Macnamara, do	12 00,	
Removing nuisance,	50,	
Goskirk, Assisting Surveyor,	1 94,	
Valentine Hall, Furniture,	38 50,	
Interest on Debentures,	98 50,	
		$1581 20
Balance due Treasurer 5th August, 1863,		77 92
Fire Department,		242 50
		$32,207 60

Cr.

By Amount of Taxes as per assessment roll,	$7117 47
" Loan from Bank of British Columbia,	1000 00
" Assessment on sidewalks,	1971 20
" Government grant of Land Scrip (£300),	1440 00
" Gov't contract with Coun. in Land-scrip,	1731 00
" Assessment for chopping private lots,	365 58
" Debentures sold,	13386 00
" Gurantee from water frontages,	5895 00
	$32,906 25

LIABILITIES.

Loan from Bank of B. C.,	$1000 00,	
Interest on do	60 00,	
Hesselwood & Co, Ellice st. cont.,	150 00,	
Clarkson & Co., Stationery,	39 87,	
J. A. R. Homer, Lumber,	63 00,	
Cunningham Bros., Hardware,	3 49,	
W. J. Armstrong, Candles,	12 00,	
C. J. Millard, Rent,	25 00,	
H. Welch, Repairing bridge,	3 00,	
John Murray, Candles, &c.,	5 87,	
R. Holland, Chopping Council lot,	27 00,	
Balance due City Surveyor,	30 00,	
J. Robson, Printing,	98 30,	
S. T. Tilley, Expenses in moving,	4 50,	
Clerk's Salary to 1st August.	323 33,	
H. Thorne, Chopping lot 9, block V,	40 00,	
do Clearing St Patrick st.	30 00,	
J. T. Scott, Rent,	25 00,	
Geo. Ramsay, Auditing accounts,	20 00,	
Geo. Hooper, Collecting,	89 00,	
		$2002 36

ASSETS.

In hands of Clerk,	$34 98,
do V. Hall,	73 80,
do Geo. Hooper,	326 00,
do Treasurer,	226 51,
Unpaid Taxes,	53 36,
Commission charged by G. Hooper,	89 00,
	$803 65
	$1,199 71
	1054 08
As per Auditor's account,	$145 63

Since Auditor's account the following have been incurred:—

Interest,	$60 00,	
Thorne, Chopping,	20 00,	
Patrick Street,	30 00,	
	$110 00	
	$35 63	

W. J. ARMSTRONG.
JOHN MURRAY. } Committee.
A. H. MANSON.

LONDON HOUSE,

JULY 21, 1864.

We have now ready our Large Stock of DRAPERY GOODS received by the "Royal Charlie;" they are all in perfect order, and in consequence of their late arrival will be Sold at very Low Prices for Cash.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

J. H. TURNER & Co.,
6, FORT STREET.
au17.

DOUGLAS-LILLOOET ROUTE.

PEMBERTON HOUSE, PORT PEMBERTON!

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED HOUSE is now kept by the undersigned, who guarantees that its past reputation as a FIRST CLASS HOTEL shall be well maintained by him; and he is desirous of securing to the public that amount of comfort and accommodation for both ladies and gentlemen that the traveller both desires and expects. He will further guarantee that no one shall leave his house without getting "value received" for his money, and that in the shape of a good meal, good lodging, and attention to his wants at a fair remuneration.

There are also private rooms for families, and for those who desire them. There is a Bar attached to the House, with good Liquors, Cigars, etc., etc., and a Bagatelle table for their use and diversion.

The undersigned hopes for a fair share of patronage, and that the merits of this route, in the accommodation, ease and quickness of travel which it affords, will be appreciated by the travelling public.

WILLIAM SMITH.
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GENERAL ABSTRACT, showing the average amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, within the Colonies of British Columbia and Vancouver Island, taken from the several Weekly Statements, for the Quarter ending 30th JUNE, 1864.

BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Amount of Subscribed Capital	$1,250,000 00	Coined Gold and Silver	130,236 98
Amount paid up at last advice	625,000 00	Bullion	49,019 22
			179,256 20
We certify that the above is a correct statement of the Average Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, taken from the Weekly Statements, for the Quarter ending this date.		Landed and other property	24,837 18
		Government Securities	46,339 59
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	126,555 38
		All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	498,432 75
Victoria, V. I., 30th June, 1864.		Total amount of Assets	$865,421 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$853,680 48		

JAMES D. WALKER, Manager
D. M. LANG, Accountant. jy30-6in

IMPORTANT!

THE SUBSCRIBER, being anxious to get back once more into civilization, offers for sale his Farm, situate on the south side of the Fraser, opposite New Westminster. It contains ONE HUNDRED acres, has an Orchard of 300 choice Fruit Trees, five years old, which, if the world stand and the seasons continue, will bear a large crop of Fruit next year. To any one who has confidence in the future of New Westminster, it offers great inducements to purchase, as it will be sold at a low figure. For particulars apply to

JAMES KENNEDY.
New Westminster, July 29, 1864. jy30 3m

TO LEASE—Lots suitable for business purposes.
J. A. R. HOMER

New Advertisements.



PROCLAMATION.

BUTE INLET MASSACRE!

A REWARD OF $250

WILL BE PAID BY GOVERNMENT, UPON AND for the apprehension and conviction of every Indian or other person concerned as principal or accessory before the fact, to the murder of any of the fourteen Europeans, who were cut off by Indians, on or about the twenty-ninth and thirtieth days of April, now last past, in the Valley of the Homathco River, at Bute Inlet.

Dated Government House, New Westminster, 17th May, 1864.

By His Excellency's Command,
ARTHUR N. BIRCH,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN! m21



COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
New Westminster, June 2nd, 1864.

IN PURSUANCE OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS OF the Legislative Council, passed during the late session, the Governor has authorized the following Premiums to be offered with the view of developing the resources of, and stimulating industry throughout, the Colony:—

1. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have successfully worked by machinery a VEIN OF QUARTZ producing either Gold or Silver, within the Colony of British Columbia.

2. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have successfully worked any COAL MINE within the Colony of British Columbia, and have *bona fide* produced from such mine Two Hundred (200) tons of good Coal, and have shipped the same to any Port beyond the limits of the Colony.

3. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to complete in a *bona fide* manner the building of a VESSEL, within the Colony of British Columbia, of not less than Five Hundred (500) tons burthen.

4. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to find any new ALLUVIAL MINING DISTRICT sufficiently extensive to give remunerative labor to Five Hundred (500) men for a period of not less than Six (6) months.

The Governor in Council to be the sole judge as to whether any of the above Premiums are to be awarded.

By His Excellency's command,
ARTHUR N. BIRCH.
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BANK
—OF—
BRITISH COLUMBIA

NEW WESTMINSTER AGENCY.

THE BRANCH at New Westminster is now opened and prepared to receive Current Accounts and Deposits at fixed periods, bearing Interest.

Gold Bars purchased and American Coin given for the same.

Advances made on Assay Certificates, and the balance paid in Victoria ten days from date of deposit. Merchants and Traders by this arrangement can have the benefit of the Government Assay Office, and at the same time save all detention.

Gold Dust received on Consignment, and proceeds applied as advised.

ADVANCES made on GOODS in BOND, and DUTIES paid on same.

Drafts granted on Victoria, San Francisco & London.

jy30tc D. M. LANG, Acting Manager.

REAL ESTATE AGENCY!

THE SUBSCRIBER, BEING THE PIONEER OF this city, is well acquainted with every town and suburban Lot, and most of the rural Lots at present surveyed in this District. He has made it a part of his business during the past five years to examine Lots, and has had considerable experience in purchasing and selling Real Estate, and is well posted in regard to the actual value of Land.

Parties who are desirous of purchasing or selling

TOWN, SUBURBAN OR RURAL LANDS

will find it to their advantage to place the same in his hands.

All business in the GENERAL AGENCY line attended to.

Charges Moderate.

WILLIAM CLARKSON,
General Agent and Auctioneer.
New Westminster, May 11, 1864. my14tc

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, carrying on business under the name of SIMPSON & DANIELSON, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and from this date the business will be carried on by CHARLES DANIELSON, who will collect all debts due to, and pay all liabilities of, the late firm of Simpson & Danielson. As witness our hands this 15th day of July, 1864.

Witness, G. W. SIMPSON.
HENRY SAUNDERS. CHARLES DANIELSON.
Quesnelle Mouth, July 1st, 1864. jy27 1m

New Advertisements.

EXPRESS, FREIGHT
—AND—
PASSENGER LINE
STAGES.

AFTER THE FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1864, THE Coaches of this Line will run as follows:

UP TRIP:

Leave Yale on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 3 a.m., Passing over the SUSPENSION BRIDGE and through the CANONS by daylight, and reaching SODA CREEK in time to connect with the stern-wheel steamer "ENTERPRISE," on THURSDAYS and MONDAYS at daylight, reaching Quesnelle City the same day.

DOWN TRIP:

Leaves SODA CREEK on the arrival of the "ENTERPRISE," on TUESDAYS and THURSDAYS, reaching YALE on THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS in time to connect with the stemers for NEW WESTMINSTER.

Passengers going *via* DOUGLAS and LILLOOET can take DIETZ & NELSON'S Express Wagons over the Portages, and connect with BARNARD'S Express Wagon at LILLOOET, on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS, noon, for CLINTON, where seats are reserved for THROUGH passages on the Stages for SODA CREEK.

Passengers from above can obtain Through tickets at Soda Creek for Lillooet and Douglas.

F. J. BARNARD.
Yale, April 30, 1864. my28 tc

Bank of British North America.

ASSAY OFFICE, VICTORIA.

GOLD DUST MELTED & ASSAYED.

CHARGES:

For all deposits under 50 ounces $2
For all " above 50 " One quarter of one per cent.

Ores of every description carefully Assayed.

CHARGES:

For each Mineral Assay $10

GOLD DUST AND BARS PURCHASED at the current rates.

J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager.
Victoria, May 7, 1864. my18tc

THE
BRITISH COLUMBIA
MILL COMPANY,
[LIMITED.]
New Westminster,

WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the Public that they are now prepared to furnish all descriptions of

FIR, CEDAR AND SPRUCE LUMBER,
BOTH ROUGH & DRESSED.
ALSO,
Tongued and Grooved Flooring,
IN ANY QUANTITIES.

From the superior character of the Mill just now completed, and from the facilities which they possess for shipping Lumber—there being sufficient depth of water at the Mill to float vessels of the largest size—they flatter themselves that they will be able to afford as great inducements to Lumber Dealers, and others, as any Mill on the Pacific Coast.

Bills of Lumber, of any dimensions, cut on the shortest notice.

Orders from Shippers or from the Interior are solicited, and will receive prompt and careful attention.

OFFICE—At J. A. Webster's Store, Columbia St.

J. A. WEBSTER & CO.
New Westminster, October 27, 1863. oc28-tc

BROKENBROW & EVANS,
BUTCHERS,
NEW WESTMINSTER MARKET,
COLUMBIA STREET,
CELEBRATED SAUSAGE MAKERS,
Dealers in all kinds of Salt Meats,
GENUINE YORKSHIRE HAMS, CELEBRATED WESTPHALIA HAMS, ST. CLARE'S BELFAST HAMS, VICTORIA (V. I.) SUGAR CURED HAMS, PUGET SOUND HAMS, OREGON HAMS, CALIFORNIA HAMS, HEYWOOD'S SUGAR CURED BREAKFAST BACON, SMOKED AND PICKLED TONGUES, PURE LEAF LARD, ETC., CUMBERLAND HAMS AND BACON.
ap23 tc

New Music.

A SELECT ASSORTMENT OF
SHEET MUSIC
Received by the last Steamer,
ap27tc at CLARKSON & CO.'S.

NOTICE!

ALL PERSONS having any claim on the estate of WILLIAM GILLETT are requested to send in their accounts to Mr. Geo. Hooper, whose receipt will be valid for all debts due to the same.

R. HARVEY, } Attorneys for
T. WILSON, } the Creditors.
New Westminster, March 1, 1864. mh2-tc

Important to Business Men in Victoria, California, Portland, and Places on the Sound!

THE JOURNAL is the only newspaper published in British Columbia; is read by every business man from New Westminster to the Rocky Mountains, and is unrivalled as an advertising medium for this Colony. J. DORAN, in Victoria, and THOS. BOYCE, in San Francisco, are our authorized Agents.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17, 1864.

THE H. B. CO.—INTER-OCEANIC COMMUNICATION.

In the House of Commons, on the 2nd July Mr. A. Mills moved "an address to the Crown for copies of all correspondence which had taken place between the Imperial and Canadian Governments respecting the western boundaries of Canada, and of any memorandum forwarded to the Colonial Office from the inhabitants of the Red River Settlements." In speaking to this motion Mr. Mills briefly glanced at the history of the Hudson Bay Company and the tenure by which they held a territory comprising 1,500,000 square miles. He showed that that territory was granted by a charter of Charles II, in 1670, at a time when it was really the property of France, and one hundred years prior to its becoming the property of the British Crown! He proceeded to show the advantages which would accrue both to the Imperial Government and the British North American possessions from the establishment of a continuous chain of settlement extending "from New Westminster to the shores of Canada," securing as it would to British territory the great carrying trade of China and the East. He alluded at considerable length to the obstructive policy of the H. B Co., to the still unsettled state of the western boundary of Canada, and to the fact that there was danger of the absorption of the Red River Settlement by the United States unless some decided action were taken. He admitted the undesirability of the Imperial Government undertaking the task of establishing a Crown Colony in the settlement alluded to, but was in favor of handing that responsibility over to Canada, alluding to the offers made by the Canadian Government to undertake that responsibility provided the boundary question were settled. Mr. Mills was followed by Mr. E. W. Watkin and Mr. Cardwell, the latter fully admitting the importance of the whole subject; but showing that so far as the readiness of the Canadian Government to undertake the responsibility of governing the territory alluded to was concerned they had declined to move in the matter until the boundary question was settled and the validity of the H. B. Co.'s title tested. He alluded to negotiations upon the subject, the change which had taken place in the composition of the company and the scheme to connect the Atlantic and Pacific oceans by means of telegraphic and postal communication. He also alluded to the fact that Canada, British Columbia and Vancouver Island had not yet given their guarantee for their proportion of the expense of establishing telegraphic communication, and stated, in conclusion, that he had written to the Governor-General of Canada, inviting the Government to state whether they were prepared to accept the conditions recommended by the House of Commons, and if not to intimate what their views were respecting the question. He assured the House that such correspondence would in due course be laid on the table, and would constitute an answer to the motion of Mr. Mills. Mr. Lyall followed, repudiating the statement that the H. B. Co. were opposed to colonization when the proper time for it arrived, and denouncing the insinuation that they wished to connect their telegraph with Minnesota, stating that they had sent out wires because they were ready to carry out telegraphic communication through their own territory for the purpose of connecting British Columbia with Canada; but that if the Canadian Government were not prepared to meet them at the boundary of that territory the company would be compelled to connect with Minnesota, which is only 50 miles distant. Colonel Sykes said "the resources of British Columbia were incalculable. Its coalfields alone were of immense importance, even to the empire, and no time should be lost in establishing proper communication with it. If that result could be brought about by a little gentle pressure on the Hudson Bay Company, he thought the Government should act at once." Mr. Mills' motion was withdrawn.

Fourteen Thousand Dollars Thrown Away

It will still be within the recollection of many of our readers that in the autumn of 1862 the late Governor all at once conceived the idea of establishing a coining apparatus, and with a haste which did not usually characterize his official acts, dispatched an official to San Francisco to procure one. The machine arrived in due course, but with an inexplicable perversity the mandate was issued to "grease it and lay it away." This command our eccentric and energetic little Treasurer managed to circumvent, and the result was that the machine was set up, put in motion and a few specimen ten and twenty dollar pieces struck off, and very handsome coin they were. But here the matter dropped, and up to the present moment nothing has been done in the direction of coining, the building being locked up and the costly machinery permitted to lie and rust. Various explanations of the Governor's conduct in acting so erratic a part in connection with the matter were given, the prevailing opinion being that he was acting under Victoria influence in peremptorily ordering the suspension of the movement. And this opinion appeared the more feasible in view of the fact that the people of that town made a desperate effort to have it established there instead of here. At the time His Excellency's intention of procuring such a machine from San Francisco became known we opposed it upon the ground that it would only prove a waste of money, strongly advocating the taking of a little more time so as to procure a thorough minting plant from England. But, although disapproving of the Governor's course in getting such a thing, once it was obtained, we of course strongly advocated the working of it. That, however, was never attempted, and, as we have already said, the machinery is locked up and rusting, at an expense to the Colony of about $14,000,—$11,000, for the plant and $3,000 for the building's and labor of setting up and putting in order the machinery. And, what is worse than all, we understand the whole thing is absolutely valueless, as, from the incompleteness of the plant—having no refinery by which to separate other metals from the gold—coin struck by it would not pass current, and would in reality be little better than gold in the bar. Thus it would appear that by this one piece of mismanagement the Colony must lose $14,000.

New Westminster Exploring Association.

This association has despatched the first regularly organized exploring party which has gone out from New Westminster. The party left this morning and is composed of four of our citizens with as many Indians to do the packing &c. The company is not numerically strong, but is composed of men possessing both scientific skill and a practical experimental knowledge of prospecting, and quartz as well as placer mining. The route laid out for them is to ascend the valley of the Coquitlam river until they arrive at the watershed from whence a number of rivers take their rise, where they will be guided by circumstances and indications as to the course they may take. It is proposed that they remain out about a month; but, of course, in this as in other matters they will necessarily be guided very much by circumstances. Recent prospectings of the most superficial character would lead us to hope that gold may be discovered in paying quantities, on the Coquitlam river. A party of pleasure happening to be about four miles above the Pitt river road on that stream a few days ago washed up several pans full of surface dirt from which they obtained prospects which although small yet were of a character to indicate the near proximity of the source from which the particles of gold had come. The pieces were not of the class of flour or scale gold, but minute nuggets of that sharp angular description which proves that they had not been washed any considerable distance from their native bed.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN ENGLAND.—A lengthened and interesting debate on the subject of public schools in England took place lately in the House of Lords, in which the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Bishop of London, the Earl of Derby, Lord Lyttleton, the Earl of Clarendon, and others took part. It has hitherto been generally supposed that if the system, or rather no system which exists in England for supplying the lower classes or common people with education be very defective and unsuccessful, we could boast of the superior education provided for the wealthier classes in the public schools preparatory to entrance at the Universities. All the speakers referred to, however, lament that the instruction provided and communicated to even the comparatively select few, is in many respects defective and behind the age. The Earl of Derby said—"He certainly thought that the course of study in many public schools was too narrow, and he quite agreed that it was necessary to superadd other matters, such as a greater attention to mathematics, French, and even German, together with portions of history. Boys were sent to the public schools at an advanced age, with very little real ground which was the base of education, but a very considerable amount of supeficial knowledge of a number of things which not only were not a good foundation of education, but were worse than no foundation at all. Parents were naturally dissatisfied with the schools on account of the little progress made by the pupils." It would appear that the great difficulty to be overcome by practical men who are devoting much time and attention to the subject of education in England is the great unwillingness of the authorities of the different schools to depart from the old beaten paths with which they are so familiar, and which may have done very well in their day, but which are now falling fast behind the requirements of an enlightened, liberal and progressive age.

ONE INSTANCE.—In a recent article we pointed out the advantages of growing "oaten hay." As an instance of the profitableness of that branch of agriculture we may mention that a farmer who has recently commenced operations a few miles below this city, sold half an acre of growing oats, for seventy dollars, for fodder. The transaction took place in July. Thus is realized at the rate of $140, per acre for oats not yet come to maturity, thereby avoiding the process of cutting, curing, &c.

BARNARD'S CARIBOO EXPRESS STAGE arrived at Yale on Sunday with eight passengers and a mail, but bringing very little treasure.

Municipal Council.

Town Hall, August 15th, 1864.

The Council met at 11 o'clock, A. M., in the Town Hall, and after receiving the report of the Finance Committee for the past year, and ordering its publication in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN newspaper, adjourned.

THE NEW COUNCIL.

At noon of the same day the members elect assembled in the Town Hall, when Mr. S. T. Tilley, Town Clerk, read a communication from C. J. Prichard, Esq., enclosing returns of gentlemen elected to serve as Councillors during the ensuing Municipal year. As the names of Councillors were read they took their places at the table, when, all being seated, the Clerk called upon them to elect their President. Councillor Armstrong rose, and in a few very appropriate remarks said he had great pleasure in proposing Councillor Clarkson to preside over the Council. R. Dickinson, Esq., retiring President, rose and said it afforded him very great pleasure to second the nomination. No other nominations being made a vote was taken, when Mr. Clarkson was elected unanimously. The new President was conducted to the chair by the mover and seconder, and thanked the Council for the honor conferred upon him, assuring them he would endeavour to the best of his ability to discharge the duties of the position in which he had just been placed, remarking that his aim would be to copy after his predecessor who had with so much urbanity, and ability presided over the Council during the past year. After the transaction of some routine business, which possess no public interest, the Council adjourned till Monday evening the 22nd inst., at 8 o'clock.

GOVERNOR SEYMOUR IN CARIBOO.—We learn with gratification that Governor Seymour met with a most enthusiastic reception in Cariboo. At the Mouth of Quesnelle he received a salute, and an address was presented to him from the people, to which he returned a suitable reply, expressing surprise at the progress made, and assuring them that they would have every assistance from Government. On His Excellency's arrival on Williams Creek the Mining Board presented him with an address, to which His Excellency was pleased to reply in more than ordinarily happy terms. We regret that considerations of space forbid our publishing these addresses and replies. His Excellency appears to be everywhere popular with all classes; and we have no doubt that such a favorable opportunity of making himself personally acquainted with the country and people will be ample recompense for all the hardships, dangers and discomfort through which His Excellency has recently passed.

SOOKE.—If one may judge by the tone of the Victoria papers the Sooke excitement is on the wane. Still much interest is felt, and considerable lots of dust are reported. The *Chronicle* says $1000, in Sooke dust arrived in town on Sunday. A few days more will enable us better to form an opinion, as those who went out mostly carried with them ten days' or a fortnight's provisions, and they will naturally remain out while that lasts, whatever the prospects may be, so that a week or ten days more will afford a sort of test. From present means of information however, we are inclined to conclude that the gold is mostly confined to crevices, and is not sufficiently extensive to afford permanent employment for any considerable number of miners. The *Colonist* says that although there are seven hundred men at these diggings yet not a fifth of them are engaged in actual mining, not being the right class, and that at present everything is brought to a stand-still. The appointment of gold commissioner is said to be a most unfortunate one, and Governor Kennedy is advised to visit the mines himself.

ARRIVAL OF TREASURE.—The str. *Reliance* came down from Yale yesterday, bringing Dietz & Nelson's Express with treasure and letters. From Yale and Douglas Dietz & Nelson's receipts amount to $11,000, besides about $7,000 in private hands, making $18,000.

THE STR. "RELIANCE" came in from Yale yesterday but did not bring Governor Seymour. A message was received before the steamer left to the effect that His Excellency was at Lytton and might be expected to arrive at Yale last evening, so that he will in all probability reach this place on Friday. The steamer brought down a Cariboo Express for Dietz & Nelson, a number of return miners and a lot of hay from the Sumass.

NO NEWS.—Owing to the seizure of the *Eliza Anderson* at Port Angelos, for violation of the navigation laws, and the non-arrival of the California steamer, we are without Eastern news.

CARIBOO.—The news from Cariboo is devoid of interest. Traders and grog-sellers complain of dull times, which, however, is owing more to the fact that that class has become far too numerous than to any deficiency in the yield of the mines.

SABBATH SCHOOL PIC-NIC.—The Wesleyan Methodist annual Sabbath-school pic-nic will take place to-day upon Mr. Brown's ranch, opposite the city.

DISAPPOINTED.—As it was understood the str. *Reliance* would arrive at the Camp about 5 o'clock p. m. on Monday with His Excellency Governor Seymour, the Rifle Corps marched up in order to receive His Excellency, but were disappointed.

A MISTAKE.—Persons from the country coming to deal at the London House, havin been misled as to the proper address, Messrs. Turner and Co. request them particularly to notice that their place of business is at the "LONDON HOUSE," No. 6, Fort street, next door to Jay's nursery store, Victoria.

DIED IN HOSPITAL.—Latrais, a middle aged Frenchman, who had been for about two months in the Royal Columbian Hospital in this city, died on Sabbath evening last.

THE BISHOP OF COLUMBIA.—We learn that His Lordship the Bishop of Columbia will leave Southampton for Vancouver Island on the 2nd prox. and that he will be accompanied by the newly appointed Archdeacon of Vancouver Island, the Rev. Samuel Gibson, late Archdeacon of Montreal, L. C., and at present Rector of Gratwich, Uttoxeter.—*Chronicle.*

NAVAL.—H. M. ship Tribune will sail for Panama next week, with Admiral Kingcome on board. Admiral Denman has hoisted his pennant on the Tribune, but will transfer it to the Sutlej on the departure of the former. The Charybdis will re-visit this station in a few months.—*Chronicle.*

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Rheumatism and Gout.—These purifying and soothing remedies demand the earnest attention of all persons liable to rheumatism, gout, sciatica, or other painful affections of the muscle, nerves, or joints. The Ointment should be applied after the affected parts have been patiently fomented with warm water, when the unguent should be diligently rubbed upon the adjacent skin, unless the friction should cause pain. Holloway's Pills should be simultaneously taken, to reduce inflammation and to purify the blood. This treatment abates the violence, and lessens the frequency, of gout, rheumatism, and all spasmodic diseases which spring from hereditary pre-disposition, or from any accidental weakness of constitution. The Ointment checks the local malady, the Pills restore the vital powers.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE!

The Sale of Mr. Webster's Stock of Dry Goods at Cost will positively close on SATURDAY NEXT, the 20th instant.

au13td **GEO. HOOPER.**

Antler Bed-rock Flume Co., Limited.

Notice of Call.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors of the above Company held this day, a further Assessment of Five Dollars ($5) per share was levied, to be paid at the Office of the Company on or before the 21st of August, 1864.

By Order,
J. J. COCHRANE,
Secretary.

OFFICE,—Government Street
Victoria, V. I., August 11, 1864. au13 1m

NOTICE.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that the Brick Building on Lytton Square, New Westminster, in the possession of Mr. THOMAS HARRIS, of Victoria, will, from and after this date, no longer be used as a Bonded Warehouse.

Custom House, July 29th, 1864.

THE ABOVE FIRE-PROOF WAREHOUSE WILL be open for General Storage after this date.

HARRIS & CO.
PIONEER WHARF,
New Westminster, August 5, 1864. au6tc

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS are forbid purchasing, or negotiating for, two Notes of Hand, made by W. R. GIBSON, in favor of F. B. DECKER, for $350 each, the one payable on or about the 1st of September, 1864, the other payable on the 1st of December, 1864, as those Notes have been obtained under false pretenses, and I never received any value for them, and will not pay them.

W. R. GIBSON.
Port Douglas, B. C., August 4, 1864. au10 1m

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS heretofore carried on at Anderson Lake, B. C., under the company name of CHAPMAN & CO., will cease from this date, Mr. James Chapman withdrawing from the business in favor of Franklyn Roberts, and will be continued hereafter under the name of ROBERTS & CO.

JAMES CHAPMAN.
FRANKLYN ROBERTS.
Anderson Lake, August 1, 1864. au10 1m

New Boot and Shoe Shop

MARY-STREET, OPPOSITE THE TREASURY,

☞ Boots and Shoes made and repaired.

W. WOODMAN
New Westminster Feb. 1861. fy12-1m

Mrs. KIRKWOOD,

DRESS MAKER,

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,

Spalding Street, New Westminster, B. C.

☞ The latest **Ladies' Fashions** from **Paris** on hand, an inspection of which is respectfully invited
ma18 1m

NOTICE.

SUBSCRIBERS to the ROYAL COLUMBIAN HOSPITAL are hereby informed that the Treasurer, MR. JOHN COOPER, will call upon them during the next few days, and as the Institution is greatly in need of funds, it is earnestly requested that the Subscribers will pay the amount of their subscriptions when called upon.

Subscription Lists are to be found with each member of the Finance Committee, Messrs. Armstrong, Cormack and Cooper.

jy13 JAMES COOPER, President.

New Advertisements.

NEW BOOKS

JUST RECEIVED AT

THE COLONIAL BOOK-STORE,

Columbia Street, New Westminster.

500 VOLUMES OF BOOKS treating of Law, Medicine, Religion, Agriculture, Masonry, Phonography, Travels, &c., among which are—Rouce's Conveyancer,
Joint Stock Co.'s
Act, Laws of Bankruptcy, Magisterial Formulist,
Addison on Contracts Buchan's
Medicine, Episcopal and Catholic
Prayer Books, and Presbyterian Psalmns,
Alcock's Japan, Masonic Text-Book, Masonic
Mystic Circle, Mottey's Dutch
Manual, Masonic Mystic Circle, Mottey's Dutch
Republic, Bancroft's History of the United States, Prescott's Histories, Speke's Africa, School Books, Cook
Books, Designs for Architects and Builders,
Weale's Series, Chambers' Book of
Days, Chambers' Encyclopedia, Chambers'
Miscellany,
Chambers' Traditions of
Edinburgh, Chambers' Popular
Rhymes, Chambers' History of Rebellion.

Also a number of Beautifully Illustrated Poetical Works suitable for presents.

ALSO,

Large Additions!

TO THE

STOCK OF STATIONERY.

jy27tc CLARKSON & CO.

Administrator's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been appointed Administrators in the estate of WILLIAM WALLACE CUNNINGHAM, deceased, give notice that all claims against said estate must be presented at the store of G. B. WRIGHT & CO., Camerontown, Williams Creek, on or before the 1st day of September next. Any persons indebted to the estate will please make payments to either of the undersigned; and all parties holding in their possession any property belonging to the estate will please to notify us.

G. B. WRIGHT,
JOHN PERRIN.
Administrators of Estate of W. W. Cunningham.
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Lord Elgin's Last Days.

We alluded on Saturday to the pleasing fact that the invaluable services rendered to his country by Lord Elgin during his lifetime are not forgotten after his death by a grateful nation. The following account of his last days, which appeared in the London *Morning Advertiser* of June 6th, although somewhat lengthy for our columns, is of sufficient value to justify re-publication :—

"The current number of the *North British Review*, which is one of great ability and variety, contains a long article on the character of the late Lord Elgin, under the title of "Lord Elgin in Memoriam." Judging from the internal evidence we should ascribe this article to the pen of the Duke of Argyle. We extract from it the following interesting, and, in parts, affecting account of the late Governor-General of India :—

On the 6th of November, Dr. Macrae came to the conlusion that the illness was mortal. This intelligence which he communicated at once to Lord Elgin, was received with a calmness and fortitude which never deserted him through all the scenes which followed. When at once he had satisfied himself, by minute inquiries from Dr. Macrae, of the true state of the case, after one deep, earnest, heartfelt regret that he should thus suddenly be parted from those nearest, and dearest, to whom his life was of such inestimable importance, and that he should be removed just as he had prepared himself to benefit the people committed to his charge, he steadily set his face heavenward.

He was startled, he was awed; he felt it "hard, hard, to believe that his life was condemned," but there was no looking backward. Of the officers of the staff he took an affectionate leave that day. "It is well," he said to one of them, "that I should die in harness." And thenceforth he saw no one habitually, except Dr. Macrae, who combined with his medical skill the tenderness and devotion at once of a friend and a pastor; his attached Secretary, Mr Thurlow, who had rendered him the most faithful services, not only through the period of his Indian vice-royalty, but during his last mission to China; and her who had shared his every thought, and whose courageous spirit now rose above the weakness of the fragile frame, equal to the greatness of the calamity, and worthy of him to whom by night and day she constantly ministered.

On the following day the clergyman whom he had ordered to be summoned, and for whose arrival he waited with anxiety, reached Dhurmsala, and administered the Holy Communion to himself and those with him. "We are now entering on a new Communion," he had said that morning, "the Living and the Dead," and his spirit then appeared to master pain and weakness, and to sustain him in a holy calm during the ceremony and for a few hours afterward. "It is a comfort," he whispered, "to have laid aside all the cares of this world, and put myself in the hands of God;" and he was able to listen at intervals to favorite passages from the New Testament. That evening closed in with an aggravation of suffering. It was the evening of the seventeenth anniversary of his wedding day.

On the following morning, Lady Elgin, with his approval, rode up to the cemetery Dhurmsala, to select a spot for his grave, and he gently expressed pleasure when told of the quiet and beautiful aspect of the spot chosen, with the glorious view of the snowy range towering above, and the wide prospect of hill and plain below.

The days and nights of the fortnight which followed were a painful alternation of severe suffering and rare intervals of comparative tranquility. They were soothed by the never-failing devotion of those that were always at hand to read to him or to receive his remarks. He often asked to hear chosen chapters from the Book of Isaiah (as the 40th and 55th), sometimes murmuring over to himself any striking verses that they contained, and other times repeating by heart favorite Psalms, which recalled to him an early feat of his youth, when he had translated in Greek the 137th Psalm—"By the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept."

At times he delighted to hear his little girl, who had been a constant companion of his travels, repeat some of Keble's hymns, especially those on the festival of St. John the Evangelist, and of the Holy Innocents. Years ago he had prided himself in having been the first to introduce into Scotland "The Christian Year," which as a student from Oxford, where the first edition —first of its seventy-seven editions—had just appeared. How touching a reward for him—how touching a tribute to the enduring piety and genius of its venerable author, that after the elapse of so long a tract of time to both—of quiet pastoral life and eager controversies for the one; of diplomacy and government, war and shipwreck, and travels from hemisphere to hemisphere, for the other—that fountain of early devotion should still remain fresh and pure to soothe his dying hours!

Until his strength failed him, he was carried at times into the verandah, and showed by words and looks his constant admiration at the grand evidences of God's power and goodness in the magnificence of the scenery before him; and on one such occasion was delighted with the sublime description of the wonders of nature in the 38th and 39th chapters of the Book of Job. At times, he was able to enter into conversation and argument on serious subjects. When under the pressure of his sufferings, he was one night entreating to be released —"Oh, that God would in mercy come and take me!" —Dr. Macrae reminded him of the dread of pain and death which seemed to be expressed in the account of the Agony of Gethsemane, and he appeared to find much comfort in the thought, repeating once or twice that he had not seen it in this light before, and several times saying with fervour, "Not my will but Thine be done."

At other times he could even be led, by way of steadying his wandering thoughts amidst the distraction of restlessness, to fix them on his school and college days to tell anecdotes of his hard reading, or to describe the visit to Oxford of his venerable friend Dr. Chalmers. He dwelt in this way on a sermon of Dr. Chalmers at Glasgow, which he remembered even in detail, from which he quoted some eloquent passages, bringing out the general scope of his sermon, to the effect that, rather than teach men to hate this bad world, we should teach them to love and look up to a better one. It will naturally be understood that long converse was really impossible. As occasion rose, a few words were breathed an appropriate verse quoted, and a few minutes were all that could be given at any one time to discourse upon it.

It is characteristic of his strong, cheerful faith, even during those last trying moments that he on one occasion asked to have the more supplicatory, penitential Psalms, exchanged for those of praise and thanksgiving in which he joined, knowing them already by heart, and in the strain of calm yet triumphant hope, he whispered to himself on the night when his alarming state was first made known to him, "Hallelujah! the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth. We all shall meet again."

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That thought was raised to its highest pitch by the sight of a portrait of a beloved son, which had died in England during his absence. It arrived at the close of those sad days. He recognized it at once, with a burst of tenderness and delight which at once lifted his mind above the suffering of his mortal illness. Again and again he desired to see it, and to speak of it, with the fixed conviction that he and his "angel boy," as he called him, would soon meet in a better world. "Oh! when shall I be with you?" "You know where he is; we shall all go to him; he is happy."

Every care had been taken for the public interests, and for the interests of those still nearer and dearer to him. He had laid the most solemn charge on his faithful secretary to conduct Lady Elgin home on her mournful and solitary voyage. He had given to Dr. Macrae, with the tenderest marks of affection, a turquois ring: "we have had a long struggle together; keep this in memory of it." He had directed a telegram to the Queen resigning his office, with a request that his successor might be immediately appointed. With this exception public affairs seem to have faded from his mind. "I must resign myself to doing no work. I have not sufficient control over my thoughts. I have washed my hands of it all." But it was remarkable that as the end drew nearer, the keen sense of public duty once more flushed up within him. It was on the 19th he could not help expressing his wonder what was meant by his long lingering; and once, half wondering he whispered, "If I did not die, I might get to Lahore and carry out the original programme."

Later in the day he sent for Mr. Thurlow, and desired that a message should be sent, through Sir Charles Wood, expressive of his love and devotion to the Queen, and his determination to do his work to the last possible moment. His voice, faint and inaudible at first, gained strength with the earnestness of the words which came forth as if directed from his heart, and which, as soon as pronounced, left him prostrate with the exertion. He begged, at the same time, that his "best blessing" might be sent to the secretaries of the Indian Government, and also a private message to Sir Charles Wood in England. These were his last public acts. A few words and looks of affection for his wife and child were all that escaped from him afterwards. One more night of agonized restlessness, followed by an almost sudden close of the long struggle, and a few moments of perfect calm, and his spirit was released. His death was on the 20th of November, and on the 21st he was privately buried at his own request, on the spot selected beforehand."

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